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For: **WELDING PROCESS FOR TI MATERIAL AND CU MATERIAL, AND A
BACKING PLATE FOR A SPUTTERING TARGET**RESPONSE

Hon. Commissioner of
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Kindly consider the following remarks in response to the May 21, 2001 Official

Action.